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1. Aircraft Count: (24 June)

9 Y ak-11's

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2. Plane Crashes:

On 16 June, Captain Knoepfel, commander of the air regiment at Jocksdorf, was killed when his Y ak 11's crashed in the immediate vicinity of the airfield. An unidentified member of the technical unit was killed in the same accident. Another aircraft, based at Drewitz, crashed in the vicinity of Zeithem on 25 June, killing the pilot.

3. Units and Personnela. Air Regiment:

Strength: 250 men
Acting Commander: Senior Lieutenant Ammer
Chief of Staff: Captain Leiblein

b. Technical Battalion:

Strength: 300 men
Commander: Captain Kraschewski
Chief of Staff: Senior Lieutenant Leiblein

c. Miscellaneous units: 150 to 200 men¹

1. Comment: The strength for the air regiment includes flying personnel only. The above figures are those reported to the station commander at parades.

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